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Weekly Rice Price Update

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Report Highlights:

Weekly rice price and trade update.

Includes PSD changes: No
Includes Trade Matrix: No
Unscheduled Report
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INDICATIVE PRICES (WEEK ENDING NOV 19):

THAILAND: EXPORT(FOB)PRICES FOR VARIOUS GRADES OF RICE (USD/M.T.)									
	EXPORTER OBSERVATIONS							PERIOD AVG.	
	#1	#2	#3	#4	#5	#6	#7	CUR.	PRV.
F WR 100 B	270	275	297	284	265	272	n/a	277	266
WR 100 B	179	180	182	182	180	178	n/a	180	176
PB 5%	200	201	201	200	200	201	n/a	201	195
WR 5%	175	176	177	178	175	174	n/a	176	171
WR 15%	167	173	170	173	171	167	n/a	170	164
WR 25%	161	158	167	171	155	162	n/a	162	156
WR 35%	158	156	165	164	151	160	n/a	159	153
A 1 SUP	135	135	137	137	133	133	n/a	135	135
A 1 SPEC	134	133	135	133	132	132	n/a	133	134
SOURCE: AVERAGE ACTUAL PRICES ARE RECEIVED FROM IMPORTERS.									

MARKET TONE

EXPORT PRICE QUOTATIONS FOR NEARLY ALL GRADES OF RICE CONTINUED TO INCREASE FURTHER THIS WEEK, DUE MAINLY TO THE FACT THAT THE GOVERNMENT WILL BEGIN TO IMPLEMENT THE PADDY MORTGAGE PROGRAM SOON AND THERE HAVE BEEN SEVERAL RICE DELIVERIES UPON THE EXPORT COMMITMENT.

THE FOLLOWING ARE REPORTED RICE EXPORTS (AS IS BASIS):

			YEAR	
WEEK	QUANTITY	4-WK AVG	TO DATE	YR AGO
ENDING	(MT)	(MT)	(TMT)	(TMT)
OCT 27	169,264	177,146	5,815	4,997
NOV 3	187,483	184,004	6,003	5,182
NOV 10	189,288	184,613	6,192	5,365
NOV 17	200,619	186,664	6,393	5,507

UNOFFICIAL EXPORTS DURING NOV 11-17 TOTALLED 200,619 TONS, UP 11,331 TONS FROM THE PREVIOUS WEEK, AND UP 2,051 TONS FROM THE FOUR WEEK MOVING AVERAGE OF 184,613 TONS. EXPORTS DURING JAN 1 - NOV 17 AMOUNTED TO 6.393 MILLION TONS COMPARED WITH 5.507 MILLION TONS DURING THE SAME PERIOD IN 2000.